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## Medicare Classes Offered at Southeast Community College Learning Centers

**June 8 (Lincoln, NE)** - Medicare can be a complicated topic. Worse yet, there is a lot of misinformation that can lead to decisions that may result in penalty and a delay of benefits. In order to avoid mistakes, you are invited to attend Medicare classes at the following Southeast Community College Learning Centers:

- Falls City, 3200 Bill Schock Blvd.
- Hebron, 610 Jefferson Ave.
- Wahoo, 536 North Broadway Street.

The first session, "Welcome to Medicare," will be provided on Tuesday, June 15 at 5:30 p.m. and will help you learn about the basics of Medicare and what you need to consider when you are approaching Medicare eligibility. The second session, "Navigating Medicare.gov," will be provided on Tuesday, June 22 at 5:30 p.m. and will focus on navigating Medicare's plan finder tool to ensure you make an informed decision about your health and drug coverage.

Instruction will be provided by Nebraska SHIP, a division of the Nebraska Department of Insurance and member of the National SHIP network, which offers local help for Nebraskans with Medicare. Services are free, confidential, unbiased, and available for any person with Medicare, their relatives, friends, or providers. Nebraska SHIP has a statewide network of certified counselors and can be reached at its toll-free hotline. To learn more about Nebraska SHIP, Medicare, or to register for one of the upcoming classes, call 1.800.234.7119.

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